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The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
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Application of: Laurence J. Cull)
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Title: TURBINE DRIVEN VITRECTOMY CUTTER) Docket No.: P02620
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Formal Drawings

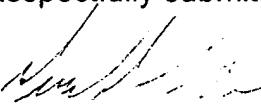
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Honorable Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated January 11, 2002, Applicant respectfully encloses herewith three (3) sets of Formal Drawings having all informalities corrected herein.

Should you have any questions regarding this communication, please feel free to contact me at (636) 226-3197.

Respectfully submitted,


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